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	CIAE-00	COME-00	OASY-00	DODE-00	DS-00	EUR-01	FBO-01
	IMMC-01	TEDE-00	INR-00	ADS-00	MFLO-03	MMP-00	M-00
	NSAE-00	NSCE-00	OCS-06	OIS-01	OPR-01	PC-05	PER-01
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P 121419Z APR 94  
FM AMEMBASSY PARIS  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 3070  
AMEMBASSY NAIROBI PRIORITY

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DEPT. FOR CA/OCS

E.O. 12356: N/A  
TAGS: AEMR, CASC, APER  
SUBJECT: RWANDA EVACUATION: ADVANCE NOTICE

REF: NAIROBI 006481

1. EMBASSY DUTY OFFICER WAS NOTIFIED LAST NIGHT SHORTLY AFTER MIDNIGHT LOCAL TIME BY THE FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTRY THAT TWELVE AMCITS AND USG DEPENDANTS WERE ARRIVING AT PARIS CHARLES DEGAULLE AT 0630 ON AN EVACUATION FLIGHT. NO ADDITIONAL INFORMATION WAS AVAILABLE. EMBASSY CONSULAR OFFICER AND EXPEDITOR MET THE FLIGHT AND A

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SECOND FLIGHT FROM NAIROBI AT 0930. ALL PASSENGERS WERE ASSISTED IN MAKING ONWARD TRAVEL CONNECTIONS TO CONUS.

2. POST RECEIVED ITS FIRST WRITTEN INFORMATION REGARDING THE ARRIVAL OF EVACUEES IN PARIS VIA REFTEL WHICH WAS SENT IMMEDIATE AND WAS SEEN AT OOB, SOME TWO HOURS AFTER THE PLANE WAS ON THE GROUND IN PARIS. POST HAS SINCE BEEN ADVISED BY THE FRENCH THAT MORE EVACUATION FLIGHTS ARE COMING TO POST BUT THEY DO NOT KNOW IF AMCITS ARE/WILL BE ON BOARD.

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3. EMBASSY IS PLEASED TO MEET AND ASSIST ALL EVACUEES  
IF OUR HELP IS DESIRED. TO ASSIST IN FUTURE EFFORTS WE  
WOULD APPRECIATE NOTIFICATION FROM A USG SOURCE, IF  
NECESSARY BY NIACT CABLE, OR BY A PHONE CALL TO THE DUTY  
OFFICER, TO ENSURE THAT WE HAVE A COMPLETE UNDERSTANDING  
OF WHOM IS ARRIVING AND WHAT ASSISTANCE, IF ANY, IS  
DESIRED.  
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